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Gladioli

**Best of European and
American Varieties**

Grown by

THOMAS COGGER

229 Laurel Street

Melrose, Mass.

Showroom and Fields on the
Newburyport Turnpike,
Corner Walnut Street, North Saugus, Mass.

Culture

Plant gladiolus bulbs any time from April 20th to June 15th. Ground should be in good, workable condition and well fertilized, although fresh stable manure should not be allowed to come in contact with the bulb.

The bulbs may be planted in single or double rows. Plant in furrows from four to six inches deep, cover at first with about two inches of loam and keep well watered; when shoots begin to appear, work balance of loam into the trench. Three or four inches of soil over the bulbs will keep them cool and moist and help to hold the stalks erect. Do not plant in a shady location.

Digging and Storing

From the first to the middle of October it is advisable to dig the bulbs, cutting off the old stalk and after drying, remove the old corm with the roots. Spread out in shallow boxes, three to four inches deep. If kept too warm, bulbs will sprout in storage; 40 to 45 degrees is best.

To Our Customers

We take this opportunity to extend our thanks to our many friends that have favored us with their patronage, and may we express the hope that our business relations have been such as to warrant a continuance of their patronage.

Only young vigorous bulbs are used in the filling of orders, running in size from 1 in. and up.

We assume no responsibility as to trueness of stock but we will replace any stock that proves untrue.

Terms

When cash accompanies the order, or payment is made prior to shipment, delivery will be made by parcel post, prepaid.

Make remittances by Post Office or Express Money Order or check. If currency is sent, the letter should be registered.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE OF GLADIOLI

	Each Doz.	
ABERDEEN —Dainty lavender	\$.15	\$1.50
ADELINE PATTI —Beautiful royal purple, upper petals shading to a lavender, purple throat	1.00	
ADRIATIC —Speckled wine blue.....	.15	1.50
ALBANIA —Glistening white, petals broad and crimped on edges .....	.15	1.50
ALICE TIPLADY —(Prim) Beautiful large flowers of brilliant orange saffron.....	.10	1.00
ALMA GLUCK —Tall brilliant orange-salmon with lighter throat, wide open flowers .....	.50	5.00
ALTON —Ruffled variety of bright orange .....	.30	3.00
AMERICA —Soft lavender pink with lighter throat .....	.05	.50
AMERICAN BEAUTY —True American Beauty rose color with creamy yellow throat, many open flowers at one time .....	.40	4.00
AMERICAN INDIAN —Self-colored, rich deep velvety red .....	.25	2.50
ANAMOSA —(Prim) Tall, orange-salmon with golden throat .....	.10	1.00
ANNA EBERIUS —Dark velvety purple; throat a deeper shade .....	.15	1.50
ARCOLA —Beautiful large red .....	.20	2.00
ARDEN —Tall spikes of large flowers, many open at one time, color is beautiful and unusual, being watermelon red .....	.10	1.00
ARIZONA —Dark rose pink with dark maroon markings on lower petals, a tall grower .....	.05	.50
ARLON —(Prim) light salmon .....	.10	1.00
A. W. HUNT —Orange red, large flowers .....	.15	1.50
AZURE —Beautiful bright blue with lighter markings in center .....	.15	1.50
BARON J. HULOT —Deep indigo blue with fine hair lines of gold .....	.10	1.00
BERNICE —Light yellow, with a few red stripes that blend very beautifully .....	.10	1.00
BERTREX —White with lilac shading and lines in throat.....	.10	1.00
BETTY RIGGS —New. A wonderful large flower of pale pink with deep pink stripes, ruffled	1.00	
BLUE JAY —Large flowers of bright blue with pure white spots in the throat .....	.15	1.50
BOBOLINK —(Prim) Orange, extra good .....	.10	1.00
BYRON L. SMITH —A delicate lavender pink on a white ground, lighter in throat .....	.20	2.00
CAIRO —Extra long spikes of clear red, white lines extend through center of each petal .....	.15	1.50
CAPTAIN ASHER CARTER BAKER —Rich velvety red with darker center .....	.15	1.50
CAPTAIN BOYNTON —New. Exceptionally fine light lavender with deeper lavender blotch in throat, tall .....	.75	
CARMEN SYLVA —Beautiful large snow-white flower on tall, straight stem .....	.20	2.00
CASSANDRA —(Prim) Salmon-buff10	1.00
CAPELLA —(Prim) Tall, very bright, clear reddish orange10	1.00

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CATHERINA —Light grayish blue, lower petals deeper in color with a brownish red spot25	2.50
CELESTE DORIS —Deep rich glowing red, almost clear in color .....	.25	2.50
CHAUTAUQUA RED —Bright brilliant red .....	.50	
CHARLEMAGNE —Giant flower of sunrise red .....	.25	
CHATEAU THIERRY —Bright cerise, red blotch on lower petal .....	.20	2.00
CHEER —Large bright salmon-red .....	.15	1.50
CHICAGO WHITE —White with small lavender lines on lower petals .....	.05	.50
CLARA —New. Beautiful light pink suffused with white, many open blooms which are from six to seven inches in diameter	1.00	
C. M. KELWAY —Pale shell pink .....	.10	1.00
CONSPICUOUS —Light blue, throat blotch yellow bordered with dark blue, reminds one of a pansy .....	.15	1.50
CRACKERJACK —Rich velvety red, throat spotted yellow and dark maroon .....	.05	.50
CRIMSON GLOW —Rich, glowing crimson with a velvety center, large flowers, early and vigorous ..	.10	1.00
CRYSTAL WHITE —Beautiful white with lavender markings .....	.05	.50
CZAR PETER —Beautiful wine red .....	.10	1.00
DAVID STARR JORDAN —Immense flowers of flame color with lighter speckled throat .....	.75	
DAWN GROFF —Beautiful salmon shading to a very light claret stain in throat .....	.10	1.00
DEFIANCE —Very large white with violet markings, late .....	.15	1.50
DELPHI —Fine red of striking color, very tall and straight .....	.15	1.50
DETROIT —Giant flower of pale pink, deeper markings .....	.50	5.00
DIANA —Wonderful large clear blood-red, wide open flowers .....	.25	2.50
DIENERS WHITE —Milk white with faint tinge of pink in throat .....	.50	5.00
DIXIE —Deep rich red, almost black .....	.10	1.00
D. J. WHITNEY —Salmon flesh with two striped yellow under petals .....	.75	
DOMINION —Dark glowing red, Amaryllis shaped flowers .....	.25	2.50
DOROTHY McKIBBIN —Fine ruffled pink, apple blossom tint, very early .....	.15	1.50
DOROTHY WHEELER —(Prim) Delicate rose pink, flowers well placed on slender graceful stem .....	.15	1.50
DR. FREDERICK T. V. SKIFF —Clear flesh pink, light ruby center .....	.50	
DR. LINCOLN COTHRAN —Salmon-pink, striped yellow throat .....	.25	2.50
DR. R. T. JACKSON —Deep rich crimson maroon .....	.15	1.50
DUNLAPS —Fine large scarlet, tall flowers, early ..	.15	1.50
EARLY PINK —Very early, wide open shell pink flowers15	1.50

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	Each Doz.	
EARLY SNOWFLAKE —New. Rich creamy white with a tinge of yellow in the throat, flower resembles an Easter Lily20	2.00
E. J. SHAYLOR —Pure deep rose pink, distinctly ruffled .....	.15	1.50
ELECTRIC —Blue streaked, strong grower, rare and distinctive .....	.25	2.50
ELF —Lemon yellow when in bud, fully opened flowers are pure white with lemon yellow on lower petal, large blooms on straight spike .....	.50	5.00
ELIZABETH GERBERDING —Erect grower, shell pink with speckled center of ruby yellow .....	.25	2.50
ELIZABETH TABOR —Delicate rosy pink on white ground with blood red blotch on lower petals .....	.50	5.00
ELSIE ROSE —Cattleya pink, a blending of rose pink shading to white with creamy throat .....	.50	
EMPRESS OF INDIA —Rich, dark purplish red flowers well spaced on spike, very dark .....	.10	1.00
EROS —Large rose pink.....	.15	1.50
EUROPA —Large round flower of purest white, spikes firm and erect .....	.15	1.50
EVELYN KIRTLAND —Rosy pink, darker at edges, shaded to a shell pink center, brilliant scarlet blotches on lower petals. Tall handsome spike ....	.10	1.00
FAUN —(Prim) Bronzy pink .....	.10	1.00
FIRE FLY —(Prim) Extra bright, richest scarlet ..	.10	1.00
FLORA —Clear yellow, strong grower .....	.10	1.00
FRANK J. SYMMES —Salmon rose pink with red center, ruffled edges .....	.25	2.50
FREDA —New. Very large wide open flowers of geranium pink, cream colored throat .....	.50	
GAIETY —Bright salmon pink, flaked deep salmon. Very conspicuous white blotches on lower petals, large flowers, tall spikes.....	.15	1.50
GENERAL PERSHING —Large pale pink, delicate throat markings, tall erect spike.....	.15	1.50
GEORGIA —Dark reddish purple, blending to pinkish purple in throat.....	.50	5.00
GIRALDA —Carmine, self-color.....	.25	2.50
GLENDALE —Dark American Beauty rose, very large and fine.....	.50	5.00
GOLD —Best yellow, beautiful clear color.....	.25	2.50
GOLD DROP —(Prim) Extra large ruffled of pure deep yellow with fine red lines on lower petals.....	.15	1.50
GOLD FINCH —(Prim) Large pure yellow.....	.10	1.00
GOLDEN MEASURE —Fine golden yellow, pure with no markings, very large.....	.25	2.50
GOLIATH —Large deep purplish wine color.....	.15	1.50
GRETCHEN ZANG —Flowers large. Soft shade of pink blending to scarlet on lower petals, spike tall and graceful .....	.10	1.00
HALLEY —Very early. Light salmon pink, throat blotch creamy striped with red.....	.05	.50
HALO —Beautiful large cream flower on tall straight spike .....	.10	1.00
H. W. COGGER —New. Beautiful large cream with darker cream marking in throat. Tall grower and many open flowers at one time.....	1.00	

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	Each Doz.	
HAUBENSTAUFEN —Large white, red feathered throat15	1.50
HELEN TODD —Light rose pink with deeper pink edges, deep scarlet center.....	.15	1.50
HENRY C. GOLHL —New. Giant snow white with deep red blotches.....	.50	5.00
HERADA —Large blooms of clear mauve, small throat blotch of deep magenta. Best of its color, very attractive .....	.10	1.00
HERMOINE —(Prim) Beautiful bright orange.....	.10	1.00
HUBERTUS —Extra fine lilac flowers well placed on long stem .....	.15	1.50
IDA VAN —Most brilliant deep salmon red. Rich and striking .....	.10	1.00
IMPERATOR —New. Very sturdy and robust grower. Extra large, broad white flowers on very tall stems.	1.00	
INDEPENDENCE —Large cherry color flower of good shape, marked with white and maroon throat.....	.05	.50
JACK LONDON —Light salmon with brilliant orange flame stripes, golden yellow throat.....	.15	1.50
JENNY LIND —New. Blooms of pure soft apricot pink, throat a pale yellow, the two colors blending to perfection. Many open blooms at one time	.50	5.00
JEWELL —(Prim) New. Light salmon pink with beautiful golden throat. Flowers are large and wide open .....	.30	3.00
JOE COLEMAN —A beautifully ruffled flower of rich red, strong and vigorous.....	.15	1.50
JOHN MERLE COULTER —Rich dark shade of red. Ruffled .....	.30	3.00
KUNDERDI GLORY —Large ruffled blossoms of creamy apricot beautifully ruffled .....	.10	1.00
LA COURONNE —Massive creamy yellow shading to deeper yellow at base of lower petals, with scarlet blotch in throat.....	.50	
LAVENDER BEAUTY —Very fine early lavender pink	.15	1.50
LE MARECHAL FOCH —Like America only very much larger, petals widely expanded.....	.10	1.00
LIBERTY —Large dark red with handsome butterfly markings .....	.10	1.00
LILLIAN WEBB —Strawberry pink with velvety light maroon center, flowers lily shaped and face upward .....	.15	1.50
LILY WHITE —Snow white and very early.....	.10	1.00
L'IMACULEE —Long spike of pure white blossoms. One of the best pure white varieties.....	.15	1.50
LINTON —(Prim) Beautiful salmon color.....	.10	1.00
LISS —Early apple blossom pink.....	.10	1.00
LOUISE —Very large bright lavender with wine color blotch on lower petals.....	.15	1.50
LOVELINESS —Tall, handsome spike of palest cream suffused with apricot.....	.20	2.00
MADAME MOUNET SULLY —New. Giant flower of cream white with blood red blotch in throat.....	.50	5.00
MAGIC —Tall, fine lavender blue with large rich purple throat blotches.....	.15	1.50
MAGENTA —Rose color, very large.....	.10	1.00

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	Each Doz.	
MAIDEN'S BLUSH —(Prim) Very early. Beautiful delicate pink, shading to lighter in throat.....	.15	1.50
MAINE —Tall pure white, large flowers.....	.30	3.00
MARSHALL FOCH —Tall spikes bearing large ruffled flowers of warm salmon.....	.35	3.50
MARY FENNELL —Deep lilac shading paler with soft primrose yellow throat, very dainty.....	.10	1.00
MARY PICKFORD —An extraordinary flower of delicate creamy white with a throat of softest sulphur yellow .....	.15	1.50
MASTER WIETSE —Rosy magenta overlaid with deep purple, streaked with black.....	.15	1.50
MELROSE BEAUTY —New. Beautiful clear deep rose pink, very large flowers with from six to eight open at one time One of the finest and we strongly recommend this variety.....	1.00	
MIDSUMMER DREAM —(Prim) Geranium red, extra large show blooms.....	.15	1.50
MINNESOTA —Long strong spikes of well opened flowers of pale cream with small maroon spot.....	.10	1.00
MIRANDI —(Prim) Rose pink, very fine.....	.10	1.00
MISS HELEN FRANKLIN —Beautiful ruffled white with violet markings on lower petals .....	.10	1.00
MISS MAUD FAY —Cattelya pink with light stripe through middle of each petal .....	.30	3.00
MRS. A. J. COCKER —New. Pure white flowers of immense size, shaped like lily, many open at one time	1.00	
MRS. ALICE GOODRICH —White with violet markings, very good .....	.15	1.50
MRS. MARY STEARNS BURKE —Canary yellow overlaid with apricot, throat yellow .....	.25	2.50
MRS. DR. NORTON —Color a delicate pink shading to rose pink at tip of petals, the finest combination of cream and pink .....	.15	1.50
MRS. FRANCIS KING —Vermillion red, very wide open flowers .....	.05	.50
MRS. FRANK PENDLETON, JR. —Beautiful delicate pink with bright red blotch .....	.10	1.00
MRS. FREDERICK C. PETERS —New. Fine rosy lilac blossoms with softest crimson blotch, slightly ruffled and many open blooms at one time .....	.50	5.00
MRS. H. E. BOTHIN —Flesh pink tinted salmon, flame scarlet center, heavily ruffled .....	.25	2.50
MRS. JAMES DUNNINGTON —New. Large cream white with crimson blotch, many open blooms at one time. Very attractive	1.00	
MRS. KEUR —Giant rose blooms with small yellow throat, one of the largest rose pinks out .....	.15	1.50
MRS. L. S. McLEOD —New. Beautiful light lavender blooms of immense size .....	.50	5.00
MRS. M. B. HAWKS —New. Very large lavender pink, one of the best	1.00	
MRS. W. E. FRYER —Large orange scarlet, ruffled .....	.15	1.50
MRS. WILLIAM RICHARDSON —Deep crimson, maroon center, large flaring flowers25	2.50
MRS. WATT —Brilliant glowing "American Beauty" red10	1.00

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	Each Doz.	
MONTEZUMA —Dark wine, mottled throat, very large25	2.50
MONA LISA —Pale soft pink or flesh white, ruffled25	2.50
MURIEL —One of the loveliest lavender varieties, small dark spot in throat. Spikes tall and straight .....	.25	2.50
MYRA —(Prim) Showy giant flowered Primulinus hybrid. Yellow suffused with salmon, pink lines and yellow throat .....	.10	1.00
MYRTLE —Dainty rose pink melting into a throat of creamy white .....	.10	1.00
MR. MARK —A beautiful blue of a light shade with a darker blotch in throat. Strong robust grower .....	.15	1.50
NEBRASKA —Aster purple, sulphur yellow blotch tall strong spikes .....	.25	2.50
NEOGA —Large garnet red blossoms with darker throat, tall spike .....	.15	1.50
NEUTRALITY —Beautiful shade of pale soft pink ....	.15	1.50
NIAGARA —Rich cream and yellow, carmine splashing in throat, large open flowers .....	.10	1.00
NIGHTINGALE —(Prim) Tall graceful spike with soft pink blossom .....	.15	1.50
1910 ROSE —Pure rose pink, white central line on lower petals, very early .....	.10	1.50
NORA —Beautiful light lavender blue with darker spot on lower petals .....	.15	1.50
ODIN —Salmon pink with large red blotch on lower petal, a very early variety .....	.10	1.00
OHIO —Creamy white, large blooms .....	.15	1.50
ORANGE GLORY —Orange colored blossoms with a lighter throat, very large ruffled blooms .....	.20	2.00
PANAMA —A seedling of America. Fine deep rose-pink blooms well arranged on strong stiff spikes .....	.10	1.00
PARLIAMENT —Very large orange red blossoms on graceful spike .....	.15	1.50
PASADENA —New. Turkish red striped with flame orange .....	.00	
PASHA —Brilliant orange, sometimes called Golden West .....	.15	1.50
PEACE —Fine large white with wine pencilings in lower petals. An excellent late variety .....	.10	1.00
PEACH ROSE —Well named. Beautiful flower of deep rose pink with darker marking in throat ....	.50	5.00
PELLA —Extra early rose pink .....	.15	1.50
PINK PERFECTION —A most lovely apple blossom pink, extra fine .....	.15	1.50
PINK WONDER —A truly wonderful flower. Massive shell-pink, bloom well set on spike .....	.25	2.50
PRES. C. C. MOORE —Salmon pink, darker throat of steel blue mottled and striped .....	.50	5.00
PRES. TAFT —Rosy pink, tall grower and very early .....	.10	1.00
PRIDE OF GOSHEN —A very large blossom of flesh pink, cream throat, ruffled .....	.15	1.50
PRIDE OF MELROSE —New. Tall straight spikes bearing wonderful large blossoms of the deepest rose, throat a creamy yellow. Flower open up wide with many open at one time	1.00	

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	Each Doz.	
PRIMROSE BEAUTY —Tall strong primrose yellow. Very large15	1.50
PRINCE OF WALES —Softest salmon pink, very large and very early10	1.00
PRINCEPINE —Brilliant carmine red with large white throat blotch, very striking .....	.10	1.00
PROSERPINE —Bright rose, graceful habit, fine for basket work .....	.10	1.00
PURITY —Pure white without blemish except for a pale pink stripe on lower petals .....	.10	1.00
PURPLE GLORY —New. Deepest velvety maroon red with almost black blotches, ruffled and very large .....	.40	4.00
PYTHIA —New. Magnificent stately spikes of gi- gantic red blossoms, many open at one time, ex- tremely showy .....	.50	5.00
RED CANNA —Probably the tallest "glad". Has been grown nearly 6 ft. tall. Brilliant red self-color ....	.25	2.50
RED EMPEROR —Very large, rich dark red, Amaryl- lis shaped flowers .....	.25	2.50
RED WHITE and GOLD —Splendid combination of these three colors, massive spike, ruffled .....	.25	2.50
REMEMBRANCE —Deep salmon rose pink with beautifully blotched throat .....	.25	2.50
RESPLENDENT —New. Most beautiful rose-pink variegated "glad" on the market, very large bloom well set on tall spike .....	.60	6.00
RICHARD DIENER —Rose salmon with creamy yel- low center, one of the finest pinks .....	.75	
R. M. HUNTER —New. Massive flowers of pure white well set on a tall straight spike. Many open blooms at one time	1.00	
ROANOKE —(Prim) Large rich yellow .....	.10	1.00
ROCHESTER WHITE —Pure white, very early .....	.25	2.50
ROSE ASH —Exquisite old rose, blended with ashes of roses, finely ruffled. One of the finest com- binations of colors .....	.25	2.50
ROSS VALLEY —Salmon pink delicately overlaid with mauve, striped with ashes of roses, red pea- cock eye in the center .....	.25	2.50
ROSELLA —Gorgeous flowers of pure cerise, stained purple and white .....	.15	1.50
ROUGE TORCH —Creamy petals contrasted with crimson velvety tongue in throat. Large flowers .....	.10	1.00
SALMON BEAUTY —(Prim) Deep salmon with soft yellow throat a very large flowered prim, very early .....	.15	1.50
SARAH LILLIE —Reddish lavender, throat ruby, mottled with white, very large .....	.20	2.00
SCARLANO —Fine spike of bright orange red, finely ruffled .....	.25	2.50
SCARLET PRINCEPS —Intensely scarlet, slightly deeper in throat, large and very showy .....	.25	2.50
SCARLET WONDER —New. Mammoth pure deep scarlet flowers on tall strong stems, extra fine ....	.50	5.00
SCARSDALE —Mauve lavender with rose lines, well opened flowers .....	.10	1.00
SCHWABEN —Robust grower. Soft sulphur yellow with red blotch in throat05	.50

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	Each Doz.	
SCRIBE —A beautiful large well opened flower, white with carmine stripes. Variegated15	1.50
SENTINEL —Extra large tall spike. Rose pink, white pencilled iris-like throat .....	.10	1.00
SHEILA —Immense rich salmon flowers on tall stems .....	.15	1.50
SIDNEY PLUMMER —New. Beautiful soft yellow suffused with delicate pink, rich amber lip, amaranth purple tongue .....	.50	5.00
SUMMER BEAUTY —Tall spikes of beautiful pink blossoms. Many open at one time .....	.20	2.00
SUNBEAM —(Prim) Tall rich yellow .....	.10	1.00
SWEETHEART —(Prim) Light cream, with golden yellow shading on lower petals .....	.25	2.50
SWEET LAVENDER —Light lavender, deeper in throat with purple blotch. Very early .....	.15	1.50
SWEET ORRA —(Prim) Tall, fine pale sulphur, rich pink lines in throat .....	.05	.50
TEMPA —Pink and old rose, bronzy lavender throat .....	.20	2.00
THOTH —(Prim) White with canary yellow throat .....	.10	1.00
THE PEARL —Delicate light pink, light yellow throat, early .....	.05	.50
THOMAS T. KENT —Large flowers of rose pink with ruby lines .....	.15	1.50
ULRICH —Large rich salmon blooms, very fine .....	.15	1.50
VINTON —Deep salmon pink, blotched with deep red .....	.15	1.50
VIRGINIA —A clear dark mauve-red with a mauve striped white throat, blooms large and open out nearly flat .....	.30	3.00
WAR —A very popular deep red variety, late .....	.10	1.00
WHITE GLORY —Pure white with an iris blue throat, intensely ruffled .....	.25	2.50
WHITE WONDER —Gigantic blooms of robust growth. Pure white without markings of any kind, many open blooms at one time .....	.25	2.50
WILBRINK —Sport of Halley, resembles it in every way except color which is a beautiful soft pink. Very early .....	.10	1.00
YELLOW HAMMER —Pure yellow with slight red markings in throat .....	.10	1.00
YOEMAN —(Prim) Salmon, very fine .....	.10	1.00
YOUELL'S FAVORITE —Rosy lavender pink, splen-		
ZENOBI —(Prim) Large orange flowers, tall spike didly ruffled .....	.10	1.00
	.20	2.00

MIXTURE

50 Gladiolus Bulbs, mixed for.....\$1.00

Our XXXX Mixture is made up of many choice varieties in a wonderful assortment of colors. Splendid for garden display or cut flowers. If you have only a limited space we recommend that you grow a mixture as this will insure a succession of blooms from early summer until frost.

Last season we sold over 100,000 bulbs of this excellent mixture.

EXHIBITION COLLECTION

25 Gladiolus Bulbs, no two alike for.....\$1.00

This collection is made up of twenty-five varieties, no two alike, not under name. This collection, if purchased under name, would easily cost from \$2.50 to \$3.00.

PRIMULINUS HYBRID MIXTURE

50 Primulinus Hybrids for.....\$1.00

For table or interior decorations nothing can equal the Primulinus Hybrid. Our mixture is made up of the choicest varieties and include a wide range of colors.

FIVE COLOR COLLECTIONS

40 Gladiolus bulbs, 5 colors, 8 each of Red, Yellow, Lavender, Pink and White..... \$1.00

100 Gladiolus bulbs, 5 colors, 20 each of Red. Yellow, Lavender, Pink and White for..... \$2.00

For the convenience of our customers who desire to order under color we have made up the two above collections. The varieties that make up these collections are very choice and taken from our regular list.

NAMED COLLECTION

100 Gladiolus Bulbs, 10 named varieties for.....\$3.00

If you are interested in high quality named varieties this offer will meet your requirements. You cannot go wrong in ordering this assortment.

DAHLIAS

12 Dahlias, mixed for.....\$1.00

All colors and types in this grand mixture.

CANNAS

12 Cannas, Bronze or Green Leafed for.....\$1.00

SPECIAL QUOTATIONS MADE ON QUANTITY LOTS



Our Gladiolus fields are located on the Newburyport Turnpike, corner of Walnut Street, North Saugus, Mass., and you will be cordially welcomed at any time, and most especially during the blooming season.

